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OR90-396

Dear Mr. Farrell:

You ask whether certain information is subject to required public disclosure under the Texas Open Records Act, article 6252-17a, V.T.C.S. Your request was assigned ID# 10281.

You received a request under the Open Records Act for copies of the proof provided by the Corporate Risk Counselors or their attorneys that convinced the attorney general's office to drop the suit styled State of Texas v. Corporate Risk Counselors. You submitted a balance sheet to us for a determination under section 7 of the Open Records Act, stating that the information may be privileged under sections 3(a)(1) and 3(a)(10) of the Open Records Act.

We have considered the exceptions you claimed, and have reviewed the documents at issue. Previous determinations of this office, Open Records Decisions Nos. 545 (1990) and 523 (1989), copies of which are enclosed, resolve your request. For this reason, you may withhold the requested information.

Because case law and prior published open records decisions resolve your request, we are resolving this matter with this informal letter ruling rather than with a published open records decision. If you have questions about this ruling, please refer to OR90-396.

Yours very truly, Lusan Garrism

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Enclosures: Open Records Decision No. 523, 545

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